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U. S. WOULD HOLD GERMANY ACCOUNTABLE IF MARINA, DEFENSIVELY ARMED, SUNK UNWARNED

BULLET OF RIFLE SNUFFS OUT LIFE OF MRS. H. JEFFS

Police Declare Husband Says That He Might Perhaps Have Prevented Deed
TRAGEDY OCCURS AT HOUR OF BREAKFAST
Was Once Divorced From Jeffs, Who Says She Planned Another Action

One shot in the head from a 22 caliber target rifle ended the life of Mrs. Harold Jeffs, wife of "Jeffs, the barber," in their home at 1381 South Beretania street, Jeffs says she committed suicide and practically admits to the deed, the latter says, that he could have prevented the tragedy.

George Herbert, living just a block away on Keeaumoku street, was called in by Jeffs shortly after the shot was fired. The woman was still living when the physician arrived, but while he was telephoning for the emergency hospital ambulance she passed away without speaking. Dr. Herbert then called in Deputy Sheriff Asch living nearby.

The victim was 46 years old and the mother of two children, a girl aged nine and a boy of six years. Her maiden name was Minnie Locke and she was born in England. There are no known relatives in Hawaii. The body has been removed to Williams' undertaking parlors where funeral arrangements are being made. An inquest, with Deputy Asch presiding, will be held at 10 a. m. Friday.

About three years ago Mr. and Mrs. Jeffs were divorced, to remarry the wife of 24 hours. Jeffs tells the police that his wife had recently consulted an attorney and prepared papers, not yet filed, for another divorce. Only yesterday he says he told her to hurry up and be done with it.

The story of the shooting told to Deputy Asch by Jeffs when the deputy made a thorough investigation of the premises this morning, was that he awoke at about 5:30 and went out to water his orchids, which are growing in two large hot-houses. At that time his wife was in her own room and he was alone in his bed. Going back into the house about 6 o'clock, he says, he called the children for breakfast, stepped into his room and saw his wife lying in his bed with the rifle to her temple.

"I could probably have taken the gun away from her then," he concludes according to what Deputy Sheriff Asch told the Star-Bulletin later, "but I didn't think she would shoot. I went on into another room, and while there I heard the 'pop' of the gun. When I saw she had shot herself I ran for the doctor."

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET TODAY

	Today	Yesterday
Alaska Gold	12 1/2	12 1/2
American Smelter	112 1/2	112 1/2
American Sugar Rfg.	120 1/2	121 1/2
American Tel. & Tel.	133 1/2	133 1/2
Anacosta Copper	76 1/2	95 1/2
Atchafalaya	107 1/2	107 1/2
Baldwin Loco.	86	86 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	88	88
Bethlehem Steel	67 1/2	64 1/2
Calif. Petroleum	23 1/2	23 1/2
Canadian Pacific	173 1/2	173
C. M. & St. P. (St. P.)	95 1/2	94 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	54	54 1/2
Crucible Steel	94 1/2	94 1/2
Erie Common	39	39
General Electric	182 1/2	182 1/2
General Motors	118 1/2	118 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	118	116 1/2
Inter. Harv., N. Y.	118	116 1/2
Kennecott Copper	54 1/2	53 1/2
Lehigh R. R.	84	84 1/2
New York Central	108 1/2	108 1/2
Pennsylvania	58 1/2	57 1/2
Ray Consol.	28 1/2	28 1/2
Southern Pacific	100 1/2	100 1/2
Studebaker	130 1/2	130
Tennessee Copper	23	22 1/2
Texas Oil	22 1/2	22 1/2
Union Pacific	151 1/2	151
U. S. Steel	120 1/2	121
U. S. Steel Pfd.	122 1/2	121 1/2
Utah	108	107 1/2
Western Union	102 1/2	102 1/2
Westinghouse	65 1/2	65 1/2
Bid. & Ex-divid.	Unquoted.	

HUGHES URE OF OHIO AND INDIANA

(Associated Press Federal Wireless)
BATAVIA, N. Y., Nov. 2.—Candidates Charles E. Hughes in the course of speech here today asserted that he is confident that the elect in Ohio and Indiana will go for the Republican party, including its presidential nominee. He recalled the failure of the Democrats to reduce the high cost of living, as they had promised.

AVIATOR SETS NON-STOP MARK IN LONG FLIGHT

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
TRIE, Pa., Nov. 2.—Victor Carlstrom, the well known aviator, established a new American non-stop record today, while flying New York from Chicago. He was flying a 200-horsepower biplane and landed here at 11:26 because of engine trouble.

VILLAS HOLD UP TAIN, LOOT, KILL NO OUTRAGE

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mex., Nov. 2.—Villas fly today shot 29 Carranzista guards on a passenger train en route for Juarez, after which they looted the cars and robbed the passengers, even taking the clothing of the women.

NICARAGUAN VOLCANO IN RUPTION, RUINING MANY BIG PLANTATIONS

(Associated Press by Federal Wireless)
SAN SALVADOR, Salvador, Nov. 2.—Nicaragua reports say that the volcano Santiago is spouting lava and ashes and that many plantations in the department of Masaya are ruined.

HAWAII'S SHARE FOR GUARD WORK IS \$329,552.23

Apportionment Made For Men Uncalled to Service Is Reason for Big Sum
TOTAL IS SECOND ONLY TO THAT OF NEW YORK

Officials State Amount Will Barely Cover Needs of Island Forces
Ten times greater than for last year, the federal appropriation to the National Guard of Hawaii, details of which were received today at headquarters of the organization, will amount to \$329,552.23 for 1916-17.

Word that this amount was forthcoming from the federal government was received about a week ago by the Star-Bulletin in an Associated Press despatch, though no details of the appropriation were given. Hawaii's share, which amount is to be used only for equipment and field training work along the lines of all federal appropriations to the guard, is second alone to New York state, this territory being No. 3 on the list in order of amounts given.

The fact that no guardsmen from the territory participated in the movements along the border is responsible for the large amount this year, the recommendation of the secretary of war being that the apportionment should be made on the basis of guardsmen left in the different states and territories. New York's total is \$499,184.68.

Two appropriations are included in the total amount for the territory: \$167,654.77 for arming, equipping and training the national guard and \$161,897.46 for arms, uniforms, equipments and such for field service. It was pointed out today that so much more equipment is now required for the guard under the new defense laws that the amount will barely cover the local guard's needs. Last year the appropriation was \$23,070.

REFUSES BIRTH CERTIFICATE TO JAPANESE CHILD

Thayer Holds Back Papers on Learning Boy is to Live in Japan
Because the father of little Shizo Kiyuna, a three-year old Hawaiian-born Japanese lad, stated that he is sending the boy back to grow up in Japan and learn Japanese ways and customs, Wade Warren Thayer refused today to grant a birth certificate from the office of secretary of the territory.

TRACK RELAYING WAITS TILL ALL MATERIAL HERE

Rapid Transit Says Not Obstructionist But Work Must Wait Till in December
FORBES WRITES LETTER, CONTENTS NOT DIVULGED

Correspondence Between Utilities Head and Company Continues
That the letter sent today by Charles R. Forbes, superintendent of public works, to C. G. Ballentyne, manager of the Rapid Transit, relating to the relocation of the company's tracks on Kalakaua avenue to the center position using lighter rails as part of the plan for the improvement of the avenue, will not be given out until after the meeting of the directors next Saturday was announced by the latter this morning.

Following the understanding between Forbes and the Rapid Transit that the "T" rails would be satisfactory in place of the T-ribble rails, Ballentyne said this morning that the company's engineers immediately drew plans and specifications for the new construction and these were forwarded to Forbes Monday. It is understood that the letter this morning from Forbes deals with this subject. Whether Forbes approved the plans could not be ascertained.

DIRECTORATE OF I. I. MEETS BUT SIDESTEPS RAISE

Although the board of directors of the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Company, Ltd., held a meeting this morning, President James A. Kennedy of the corporation said at noon that the matter of the request by its sailors for another advance in wages was not considered or taken up in any way.

OLD-TIME POLITICAL RALLY BY G. O. P. TO BE HELD IN KAIMUKI

An old-time political rally with Hawaiian music and speeches will be held by the Republicans at the Lili'uokalani school this evening, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Hughes and Fairbanks, national candidates for president and vice-president, respectively, will be present by proxy or counsel, say the meeting notices.

Weighty Point in Political Ethics Thrown Forward

G. O. P. Says Will Foot Bill If Bourbons Send Stenographer to Attend Meetings

Is it a breach of ethics for one political party to have a stenographer at a meeting of the rival party to take down the speeches of the candidates? Is it more unethical for such party to make use of these speeches to secure the misstatements and misrepresentations of unscrupulous or careless political speakers? These two questions have been thrown to the fore in these last days of the campaign. The Democrats are indignant and bitter for the fact that the Republicans have taken shorthand reports of the Democratic meetings and have thus succeeded in correcting and overcoming alleged false and misleading statements.

M. C. Pacheco, candidate for the senate on the Democratic ticket, and E. H. F. Wolter, candidate for the house on the same ticket, are especially indignant over the Republican party's strategy; and one visiting a Democratic meeting these nights is sure to hear them "burning up" the Republicans and condemning the stenographic reporter.

OTHER ISLANDS BEING VISITED BY COMMITTEE

Visits to schools and interviews with alumni on the other islands is forming a part of the work of the special committee recently appointed by Circuit Judge Ashford to investigate the Kamehameha Schools. The members of the committee are Attorney D. L. Wittington, chairman; Mrs. Emma Nakuna and Attorney J. Lightfoot.

GERMANS PLAN REPRISAL, SAYING FRENCH HAD NOT KEPT EARLY AGREEMENT

(German Official)
BERLIN, Germany, Nov. 2.—The German and French governments in January, this year, were about to re-lease civil prisoners on both sides. Thus all German women interned in France and all German men younger than 17 or older than 55 years as well as all unfit for military service, had a just claim to be sent home, except if indicted for crimes.

LANSING SAYS BERLIN PLEDGE DID NOT LIMIT RESPONSIBILITY TO SHIPS WITHOUT ARMAMENT

GERMANS EVACUATE FORT VAUX, ADMITTED BY BERLIN—DAY'S FIGHTING ON WEST FRONT IS HEAVY—VON LINSINGEN STORMS RUSSIAN POSITIONS AND INFLECTS LOSSES

(Associated Press Service by Federal Wireless)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 2.—Secretary of State Lansing, in a declaration today on American policy and understanding of German pledges, indicates that the United States will hold Germany accountable if the steamer Marina was sunk without warning, even though she carried a cannon. Reports that the Marina had a 4.7-inch gun mounted astern brought to the head of the state department several questions today by interviewers. Lansing replied that he understands that Germany's pledges not to sink merchant vessels without warning, and without providing for the safety of passengers and crew, apply to ships with defensive armament as well as those totally unarmed.

Fort Vaux on Verdun Front Given Up by Germans; Attacks Repulsed

BERLIN, Germany, Nov. 2.—The German troops today evacuated Fort Vaux on the Verdun front. British attempts to advance north of Courcellette have been repulsed. The French have gained some small advantages in the sectors of Les Boeufs and Ranecourt, on the Somme front.

Rumanians Press on at Jiu Valley

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Nov. 2.—The Rumanians today continued their pursuit of the Teutons west of Jiu valley. Teuton attacks in Prahova valley were repulsed. East of Alit there is some battling.

CASE OF JESSE GRAY DUE TO BE REVIVED FRIDAY

Grand Jury to Probe Alleged Bribe-Taking, Says City Attorney Brown
Alleged receipt of bribes by Jesse Gray, former police officer at Wahiawa, is to be investigated by the territorial grand jury tomorrow, says City Attorney A. M. Brown.

DEPUTY REVENUE COLLECTOR, HILO, QUILTS ON NOV. 30

(Star-Bulletin Special by Mutual Wireless)
HILO, Hawaii, Nov. 2.—The resignation of Ned Crabbe, deputy collector of internal revenue, stationed in Hilo, has been placed in the hands of Collector J. F. Haley at Honolulu. He takes effect November 30. His probable successor is not known here. Crabbe goes into business in this city.

SHERIFF ADMITS SOME WOMEN ARE LEAVING IWILEI

Japanese Abandons Lease of House Occupied By Women; Chinese Threatens Fight
Sheriff Rose admits that some Iwilei inmates living Ewa of Iwilei road have been notified by their landlord to leave, but he says he understands they are given 30 days in which to do so. There is no indication of them shutting up shop, however, according to Rose, although information has come to the Star-Bulletin from some of the inmates themselves that they will keep a "dark" house until they leave the district. The sheriff says he has had no complaints indicating that any of the women had moved downtown, although news from Japanese quarters is that many of the Japanese women who left Iwilei have taken rooms in the city and on plantations to continue their profession.

M. Saki, who had a large rooming house at Iwilei, has abandoned his lease with the landlord to avoid arrest and prosecution for keeping a disorderly house in that district.

According to a Japanese reporter, who has interviewed some of the Japanese women in Iwilei, their Chinese landlord, Y. Anin, who has several houses in the district, advised them not to move away until he had engaged a lawyer to fight election.

A prominent man in no way connected with the anti-vice committee, said today in regard to the threat of the landlords to fight: "Upon what grounds can they stand to fight?"

U. S. JURY TOMORROW

Federal trial jurors have been notified to be in court at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, when the case of Esther Borges and John Fragas, charged with the commission of a statutory offense, is scheduled to go to trial.